Mountain Weather Forecast

South Grampian and Southeast Highlands

Including South and East Cairngorms National Park, Aberdeenshire and Angus Hills, Ben Vrackie, Ben Lawers, Loch Tay and Ochils
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Sunday 29 Nov 2020 until 23:59 on Monday 30 Nov 2020

Forecast Issued on Saturday 28 Nov 2020 at 14:08 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for general trends, lower for cloud detail on Sunday and for Thursday generally.

Headline for Sunday 29 Nov 2020: Mainly dry with some sunny spells, but some early cloud in places. Freshening winds.

Mountain weather hazards on Sunday 29 Nov 2020

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Clear night	Partly cloudy (night)	Partly cloudy (night)	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Dull
Precipitation probability							
<05%	<05%	10%	10%	<05%	<05%	10%	20%

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Weather: Starting clear in the early hours, but cloud will push in from the southeast to affect southern and eastern ranges in the early hours, bringing some hill fog. The Northwest, generally most of the Perthshire Hills around Ben Lawers and perhaps the northern Aberdeenshire Hills will stay clearer with patchy freezing fog in the glens. During the morning the cloud bank in the south and east will drift off into the North Sea as sunny spells become more widespread across the East Highlands but the Ochils may be reluctant to clear. After dark thicker cloud will bring a little light rain to the west.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 30% in south and east at first and remaining so over the Ochils, otherwise 70%, falling 20% in the west in the evening.

Visibility: Mostly good by day but poor in any freezing fog patches. Moderate or poor in the cloudier spells.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	19/26 S	19/26 S	18/23 SW	16/19 SW	18/25 SW	22/30 SW	24/33 SW	28/37 SW	28/38 SW
900	10/17 S	13/20 S	13/19 SW	12/16 SW	13/19 SW	15/23 SW	17/25 SW	20/29 SW	20/30 SW
600	3/6 W	4/8 SW	5/10 SW	7/13 SW	9/18 SW	13/23 SW	13/25 SW	15/28 SW	16/30 SW
300	3/7 W	1/5 SW	2/7 SW	4/10 W	5/12 W	5/14 W	5/13 W	4/14 W	6/17 W
Glen	3/8 W	3/7 W	3/8 W	4/10 W	3/10 SW	4/11 W	6/13 W	6/12 W	6/15 W

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1100	-1/-8	-0/-6	0/-6	0/-5	1/-5	0/-6	0/-6	0/-7	0/-7
900	-0/-5	1/-4	1/-4	1/-3	2/-3	2/-4	2/-4	2/-4	2/-4
600	0/-2	1/-1	1/-1	2/-0	4/0	4/-1	4/-1	4/-1	4/-1
300	0/-2	1/-1	2/0	2/-0	4/3	4/2	3/1	4/2	5/2
Glen	1/-0	2/1	2/1	2/0	4/3	4/2	3/1	4/2	5/2
Freezing Level*	900m	1000m	1100m	1100m	1200m	1200m	1200m	1200m	1300m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Nothing to add

Forecast for Monday 30 Nov 2020
Weather: Cloudy, with occasional rain until the early afternoon, mostly light in the east but some heavier outbreaks over the west. Then becoming much brighter from early afternoon with some late sunshine followed by clear spells in the evening though the odd light wintry shower may affect the Aberdeenshire Hills.

Maximum wind: Westerly 35mph gusts 50mph, becoming northwesterly 25 gusts 35mph in the afternoon.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 10% in the morning and early afternoon, though nearer 30% in Angus, then improving 80% before dusk.

Visibility: Away from the cloud, moderate or good occasionally poor in drizzly rain, generally very good later.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 7 falling to Plus 4 in the afternoon, down to Zero by midnight.
At 800m: Plus 2 rising to Plus 4 Celsius, down to Zero by evening.
Freezing level: Above the summits falling to 800m by evening.

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